

# BIG SANDY NEWS.

Aut inveniam viam, aut faciam.

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## THE NEWS OF THE WEEK.

A Daily Resume of Latest Happenings.

JUNE 26.

A combination of Ohio river ship-yards with a capital of \$3,000,000, is said to be on the point of completion.

The Kappa Alpha fraternity (South) will erect a \$10,000 memorial hall at Lexington, Va., to Gen. Robt. E. Lee.

The biggest shipment of coal in the city's history left Pittsburgh yesterday for the South. It amounted to 9,015,000 bushels.

The new Springfield rifle was yesterday adopted as the standard arm of the American soldiers, the army being first supplied and then the militia.

The Louisville Railway Company has begun laying conduits with a view to having a complete underground system of food wires. About two years will be required to complete the work.

Trouble is feared in the street-car strike at Richmond, Va., cars are running under heavily armed guards, and all street-car property is guarded. About eight hundred militiamen are on duty.

Twenty militiamen from New Castle went to Jackson yesterday to take the place of men excused from service by Adj. Gen. Murray. This brings the total back to about one hundred men.

As the result of a quarrel over a game of cards in Morgan county Dave Purcell shot and killed Mack Nickell and Gordon Wells. Purcell was slightly wounded, but made his escape, and a sheriff's posse is pursuing him.

Andrew Fletcher, a prominent citizen of Cayce, Fulton county, who had been ill for three months, disappeared mysteriously from his home, leaving a note telling his family not to worry. Searching parties are looking for him.

Another session of the Kansas Legislature, called for the purpose of giving relief to flood-stricken districts, convened in Topeka yesterday. Gov. Bailey, in his message, called attention to conditions, and advised such legislation as would enable the devastated districts to deal with the situation.

Special Judge W. W. Thum yesterday handed down a decision in the injunction suit of two silversmiths and beveling companies against certain union workmen. The injunction is granted against those named in the suit, but the judge holds that union men may set out pickets, though they are enjoined from using force or violence toward any of the companies' workmen.

Edmund H. Driggs, former Congressman from Brooklyn, was indicted by the Federal grand jury on the charge of receiving \$300, in July 1900, from an automobile company for procuring a contract from the Government. Mr. Driggs is the tenth person against whom an indictment has been returned as a result of the Postoffice Department investigation. President Roosevelt yesterday asked the Department of Justice to furnish two lawyers to assist the District Attorney at Washington in the prosecution of the pending cases.

The Democrats of Iowa yesterday nominated J. B. Sullivan for Governor and refused by a decisive vote to reaffirm the Kansas City platform or to adopt a plank favoring the Government ownership of railroads. The platform adopted opposes imperialism; condemns the Adair financial bill; deprecates corruption in the Postoffice Department; denounces the trusts; opposes government by injunction; favors the election of Senators by popular vote, and demands that the tariff schedules be adjusted with a view to a tariff for revenue only.

Popular approval of the work of the mob at Wilmington, Del., which burned at the stake a negro who confessed to criminal assault, was shown last night when 2,000 citizens of Wilmington made a demonstration before the jail where Arthur Corwell, or Hartford City, Ind., was confined on a charge of complicity in the lynching. Corwell was released on \$5,000 bail and the citizens loudly cheered him and then dispersed. A coroner's jury yesterday decided that George White, the mob's victim, died at "unknown hands." The belief is growing that none of the mob will be prosecuted.

JUNE 27.

Clay Purcell, who killed Mack Nickell and Gordon Wells in Morgan county, is believed to be hiding in Breathitt, and officers at Jackson have been asked to join in the search for him.

The Kentucky Educational Association closed its annual meeting yesterday at Lexington. M. H. Bonner, of Owensboro, was elected president and Mayville was selected as the next place of meeting.

While trying to arrest Everett Beatty, a barber, at Olive Hill, Deputy Marshal Gus Hall was shot and killed by Beatty and Marshal Lewis White then shot and killed Beatty. The coroner's jury exonerated White.

The public consistory, which many believe will be the last ceremonial of the kind under Pope Leo XIII, was held yesterday at Rome, when red hats were bestowed upon the new Cardinals by the Pontiff. The Pope at times manifested extreme weakness.

A resolution was reported at the committee meeting of the Colored National Emigration and Commercial Association favoring the chartering of ships to carry negro colonies to Liberia. A

petition was adopted asking the Government for \$100,000,000 to forward this movement.

King Peter the First of Serbia took the oath of Belgrade yesterday with imposing ceremonies. The populace seems favorable to the new monarch. It is now believed that the punishment of the assassins of King Alexander and Queen Draga may lapse.

The sum subscribed through the Courier-Journal up to last night for the benefit of B. J. Ewen, whose house at Jackson, Ky., was burned by incendiaries, was \$1,861.50. The aggregate amount contributed throughout the State is now believed to exceed \$4,000.

At Winchester last night G. Lee Wainwright, a prominent citizen, shot and probably fatally wounded his sister-in-law, Miss Margie Miller. The shooting was the outcome of a family disturbance, Wainwright claiming that Miss Miller and her father were endeavoring to alienate the affections of his wife and that the father and daughter attacked him with a knife and a stick.

The visit of the American fleet to Kiel, Prussia, was the signal for unusual favors on the part of Emperor William. He visited the Kearsarge, Admiral Cotton's flagship, and personally inspected a great portion of the equipment of the vessel. At the close of the day his Majesty sent a message to President Roosevelt thanking him for the pleasure of the visit and conveying congratulations upon the splendid appearance and discipline of the squadron.

Gov. W. D. Jelks, of Alabama, when questioned regarding the Wilmington, Del., lynching of a negro Monday night declared that "such a gruesome affair has always been impossible in any popular section of this State. Quiet has been restored at the scene of the lynching. Gov. Hahn visited Wilmington and said that the law would henceforth be maintained. Arthur Corwell, the only person arrested for alleged complicity in the deed, will be given a hearing today.

President Roosevelt has decided to risk the possibility of incurring the enmity of the Russian Government by forwarding to the czar the petition of the Bnai B'rith regarding the treatment of Jews in Russia. The United States Government has been unofficially advised that Russia will not receive the petition, and if such proves to be true diplomatic relations between the two countries may be broken. It will require about two weeks to secure the necessary signatures to the petition.

A general cleaning up of the Executive departments of the Government will probably result from the postal investigation. Charges of one sort or another have been made against the State, War, Interior, Treasury and Agricultural Departments and a complete investigation is expected by the President or Congress. Postoffice inspectors are gathering evidence in half a dozen new cases of fraud, and as many indictments are looked for. Postmaster General Payne was confined to his home yesterday by illness.

JUNE 28.

It is reported in New York that George W. Vanderbilt has acquired a large tract of land in North Carolina for the purpose of building a model manufacturing city.

Individual deposits in the national banks of Kentucky at the close of business June 9 aggregated \$23,181,169.54. The total resources and liabilities were \$45,485,007.75.

King Peter has issued to the army of Serbia an order couched in terms of the highest praise. The Austrian government has resumed official relations with Serbia, while Emperor William sent a cordial telegram to the new ruler.

Gov. Beckham has named Friday, July 24, as the date for the execution of Claude O'Brien and Earl Whitney, the murderers of A. B. Chitt, at Lexington. Attorneys for O'Brien and Whitney presented a petition yesterday for commutation of sentence, which will be passed upon in a few days.

Gray Haddix, the witness in the arson cases at Jackson, spent the day in the country yesterday and returned home very much surprised to hear a report of his "mysterious disappearance." Police Judge Cardwell says he has received information of threats against his life since he fined the two men who assaulted Haddix.

The Russian government has learned with regret of President Roosevelt's determination to present the American Jewish petition regarding the Kishinev affair. It is given out that the American charge will be received cordially when he presents the petition, which will be returned with the assurance that Russia cherishes no ill-will toward the United States. Russia will adhere to its policy of non-interference with the internal affairs of other nations, and will claim the privilege of the same treatment for itself.

Former Postmaster General Charles Emory Smith yesterday made public his reply to the charges of S. W. Talbot in connection with the postoffice investigation. He relates that investigations heretofore mentioned were made and the reports submitted to him. Where irregularities were shown he immediately had them corrected. An authoritative statement was made yesterday that Mr. Payne will not retire from the Cabinet. The department has decided to accept the bid of Paul Herman for money order supplies. This bid, though \$45,000 less than the next lowest, was declined by Superintendent Metcalf and resulted in the latter's dismissal.

Gov. Beckham last night gave out a lengthy statement regarding the steps he has taken toward the suppression of lawlessness in Breathitt county. He explains that his powers are limited by the Constitution and the statutes, but says he has devoted careful thought to the situation and has left nothing to the situation and has left nothing to the situation and has left nothing to the situation.

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Very Remarkable Cure of Diarrhoea.

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The question of changing the Jewish Sabbath from Saturday to Sunday will be one of the most important matters

discussed at a meeting of leaders in the Jewish faith which will begin today at Detroit.

Mr. E. C. O'Brien is still in Lexington and has not abandoned hope of securing a commutation of her son's sentence. She intends visiting Frankfort and making a personal appeal to Gov. Beckham.

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## C. & O. Fish Hatchery.

Followers of Isaac Walton will hail with delight the news that the Kanawha and Greenbrier rivers, both of which are within easy riding distance of the Queen City, are to be stocked and re-stocked with bass every year, beginning this fall.

Following the example of several other railroads in the country, the management of the Chesapeake & Ohio railroad has decided to maintain its own fish hatchery hereafter for the purpose of stocking the streams along the road. The hatchery has already been erected at Sulphur Springs, Va., and the small bass with which the streams are to be stocked are waiting to be placed in the various rivers and creeks.

It will be all of three years before any of the bass which will be planted this year will find their way to the table, but the stocking will be repeated every year, and in a few years the streams which have been stocked will be alive with bass, many of which will ultimately find their way into the Ohio, Miami and White water rivers.

The bass will be hatched by the C. & O. hatchery, by the artificial method, and will not be planted in the river until they are three months old. Investigation has shown that when bass and trout reach this age they are able to protect themselves against larger fish. It is stated that by the natural method of hatching not more than 14 per cent. of the spawn reach maturity, because they are eaten by large fish and swept away by the floods. Of the 14 per cent. which do reach maturity, about one half of one per cent. ultimately reaches the table.

By the artificial method of hatching 90 per cent. of the spawn is hatched and are kept in troughs until they are old enough to take care of themselves. Of this 90 per cent. it is estimated that fully 90 per cent. reach the table, so that the prospects for good bass fishing in the Virginia tributaries of the Ohio river are more than encouraging. —Cincinnati Enquirer.

## No False Claims.

The proprietors of Foley's Honey and Tar do not advertise this as a "sure cure for consumption." They do not claim it will cure this dread complaint in advanced cases, but do positively assert that it will cure in the earlier stages and never fails to give comfort and relief in the worst cases. Foley's Honey and Tar is without doubt the greatest throat and lung remedy. Refuse substitutes. Louisa Drug Co.

"From saving comes having," but not as quickly as it comes from grabbing at everything in sight.

## Cholera Infantum.

This has long been regarded as one of the most dangerous and fatal diseases to which infants are subject. It can be cured, however, when properly treated. All that is necessary is to give Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and castor oil, as directed with each bottle, and a cure is certain. For sale by A. M. Hughes.

It is better to receive criticism than flattery.

## A. M. Hughes Will Buy It Back.

You assume no risk when you buy Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. A. M. Hughes will refund your money if you are not satisfied after using it. It is everywhere admitted to be the most successful remedy in use for bowel complaints and the only one that never fails. It is pleasant, safe and reliable.

"Man wants but little here below," and that little somebody else gets.

For a lazy liver try Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablet. They invigorate the liver, aid the digestion, regulate the bowels and prevent bilious attacks. For sale by A. M. Hughes.

All previous records of the number of immigrants arriving in the United States will be broken this year if the present increase continues. During the ten months up to April 30, 1903, the number of immigrants was 620,810 as against 749,743 for the entire previous year. The large number of immigrants is due to the prosperity of country and to the activity on the part of agents of the steamship companies.

When Other Medicines Have Failed take Foley's Kidney Cure. It has cured when everything else has disappointed. Sold by Louisa Drug Company.

## A SERIOUS CASE.

Of Catarrhal Dyspepsia Cured.



LEONARD F. VERDERY, Real Estate and Renting Agent, of Augusta, Ga., writes:

"With many others I want to add my testimonial to the wonderful good Peruna has done me. I have been a great sufferer from catarrhal dyspepsia. I tried many physicians, visited a good many Springs, but I believe Peruna has done more for me than all of the above put together. I feel like a new person. I have taken the Peruna and Manalain together and always expect to have a bottle in my home."—LEONARD F. VERDERY.

Congressman Dovner of West Virginia.

Congressman B. B. Dovner, from Wheeling, West Virginia, in a letter written from Washington, D. C., says: "I join with my colleagues in the House of Representatives in recommending your excellent remedy, Peruna, as a good tonic, and also an effective cure for catarrh."

Catarrh assumes different phases in different seasons of the year. In the summer the stomach and bowels suffer the most often as the seat of the trouble. Peruna cures catarrh wherever located. If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peruna, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis.

Address Dr. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, O.

## GULNARE.

We are sorry to record the illness of Mrs. Annie Scott, of Normal, who is visiting Mrs. Collinsworth, at this place. Mrs. Scott was taken sick while on a visit to Pikeville.

J. H. Leslie is improving. It seems as though we are going to have plenty of stores at Gulnare, with T. J. Roop already here, M. E. Hewlett just below us two miles, and Thos. Scott preparing to open in the H. Scott & Co. property; and S. B. Leslie and T. B. Maynard preparing to build. Come on, boys, our customers say competition is the life of trade and the death of high prices.

Well, Keturah, you have failed to write.

Miss Alice Collinsworth and Luther Damron passed here today on their return from a visit at Pikeville. Big Rock.

Sound kidneys are safeguards of life. Make the kidneys healthy with Foley's Kidney Cure. Sold by Louisa Drug Co.

**\$1 to \$100.**

You get the worth of your money, no matter what grade of watch you purchase at Conley's. We advise you to buy the very best you can afford, but if one dollar is the limit we have the best on the market for your money. Our \$3.50 watch is sold for \$5 by many dealers. But the watch to buy is a 17 or 21-jewel movement, in any kind of a case you prefer.



When buying a ring, you want to know it is good. The only way to be certain is to buy where the guarantee that goes with every sale is worth all it says.

Any ordinary case of defective vision fitted from our stock. We have the highest quality of lenses and all grades of frames at \$2.50. Buy a pair of gold fitted spectacles complete, guaranteed to wear till you are satisfied or dead. If they don't, kick and get a new pair.

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## Brumberg's BIG CLOTHING HOUSE, IRONTON, OHIO.

Living so close to this

store as you do, you can

not afford to stay away.

We show a very extensive line of up-to-date

Clothing, Hats, Shirts, Underwear

and all kinds of wearing apparel for the muscular sex, with prices lower than this kind of goods can be bought anywhere in this section of Ohio, Kentucky and West Virginia.

Give us a trial—on good size purchase we will allow part of your part.

Besides a big saving on prices our merchandise is more reliable, and our assortment far more extensive. We have the largest and most extensive

## Merchant-Tailoring Department

in this part of the State. Our makes are the best. All work guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction. Look at our line when the representative calls—it will pay you.

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Ironton, Ohio.

Clothier - Hatter - Furnisher.

## C. & O. Chesapeake & Ohio R'y

KENTUCKY DIVISION.  
BIG SANDY DISTRICT.

Westward.	Stations.	Eastward.
39 37		36 38
1 05 50	Whitehouse	11 35 15
1 25 30	Richardson	11 05 52
	Peach Orchard	10 54
1 30 55	Richardson	10 37 53
1 40 35	Georges Cr.	10 27 42
1 43 38	Rise	10 24 39
1 55 50	Gallup	10 13 28
1 58 53	Chapman	10 10 23
2 04 59	Torchlight	10 07 20
2 11 06	Tunnel Sid.	9 58 13
2 17 12	Eloise	9 54 09
2 25 20	Louisa	9 50 05
2 37 29	Potter	9 38 51
2 44 36	Burgess	9 30 59
2 49 41	Fuller	9 31 54
2 56 48	Curtiss	9 28 59
3 00 52	Buchanan	9 19 53
3 05 57	Kavanaugh	9 15 28
3 10 02	Burgess	9 10 23
3 16 08	Lockwood	9 05 18
3 28 20	Sav. Br'ch	8 59 12
3 35 25	Hamp. June	8 47 00
3 50 40	Carltsburg	8 42 45
	Ashtand	8 39 40

Trains 87 and 88 are local freight trains and do not carry passengers.

H. C. BOUGHTON, Superintendent.  
S. J. JUSTICE, Agent, Louisa, Ky.

**N & W Norfolk & Western.**  
Schedule in effect May 24, 1903.

Pullman Buffet Sleepers between Columbus and Roanoke, and between Bluefield and Cincinnati without change.

Leave Kenova central time, West Bound.  
No. 3, daily, 4:10 a. m.—arrives at Columbus 8:30 a. m. Pullman buffet car Roanoke to Columbus; arrive Cincinnati via Portsmouth 10:00 a. m. Pullman Sleepers to Cincinnati.

No. 33, 6:30 a. m.—daily except Sunday. Arrives Columbus 11:25 a. m. Parlor Car Kenova to Columbus.

3:10 p. m.—No. 11, daily except Sunday, arrives Columbus 7:45 p. m.; arrives Cincinnati 8:30 p. m., via Portsmouth & Cincinnati division. Parlor Car Kenova to Cincinnati.

Leave Kenova Central Time, East Bound.  
12:41 a. m.—No. 4, daily, Norfolk express for Roanoke, Lynchburg, Richmond and Norfolk. Pullman sleepers Columbus to Roanoke without change.

5:00 a. m.—No. 2, daily, for Bluefield, Pocahontas, Roanoke, Lynchburg, and all intermediate stations.

W. B. BEVILL, General Passenger Agent, Roanoke, Va.  
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**Stewart & Stewart.**  
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LOUISA, KY.



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### Democratic Ticket.

For President in 1904:  
JUDGE ALTON B. PARKER,  
of New York.

Governor—J. C. W. Beckham.  
Lieut. Governor—W. P. Thorne.  
Attorney General—N. B. Hays.  
Auditor—S. W. Hager.  
Treasurer—H. M. Bosworth.  
Sec. of State—H. V. McChesney.  
Sup. Pub. Ins.—J. H. Fuqua.  
Com. of Agri.—Hubert Vreeland.  
C. Court Appeals—Morgan Chinn.

For Circuit Judge:  
S. G. KINNER.  
For Commonwealths Attorney:  
JOHN M. WAUGH.  
Circuit Clerk—Bert Shannon.  
Surveyor—John L. Hibbard.

### Announcements.

We are authorized to announce  
J. W. PERRY,  
as a candidate for the Legislature,  
to represent the counties of Lawrence  
and Boyd, subject to the action  
of the Republican party.

We are authorized to announce  
J. S. THOMPSON,  
as a candidate for Representative  
in the Legislature, from the district  
composed of Lawrence and  
Boyd counties, subject to the action  
of the Republican party.

The twenty-five young preachers  
who were going to Breathitt county  
to civilize it have decided to re-  
main at home. They will never  
have a better chance to go to heav-  
en on short notice.

### Money to Loan.

Will pay cash for railroad time,  
reasonable discount.  
G. V. MEEK.

### United States Paint.

There is no better paint made  
and but few as good as the United  
States brand. An absolute guar-  
antee goes with every sale. If it  
does not stand the strongest test  
we will give you a like quantity  
free. It is made of pure lead and  
only the best oil and colorings.  
SNYDER HARDWARE CO.

### Watchmaker at Conley's.

We have arranged for a first class  
watchmaker to remain here per-  
manently. He will begin work  
Monday, June 29th. He does all  
kinds of fine watch repairing, clock  
and jewelry work, and engraving.  
Bring in your work and have it  
done right.

### How Do You Live?

By eating, of course. Then what  
you eat is of much importance. We  
are trying to make it easy for you  
to get variety and good quality of  
food. Come around and see how  
well we are succeeding. We are  
anxious to please and will do so  
whenever possible.

CHAMBERS & Co.

### Illustrated Biblical Lecture.

Rev. D. H. Reid, of Point Pleasant, W. Va., will give a lecture on  
"St. Paul, His Life and Times," at  
the Masonic Hall, Friday night,  
July 3d. The lecture will be illus-  
trated by a stereopticon, and 34  
scenes and incidents in the great  
"Master Builder's" life will help to  
punctuate the wording. Admi-  
sion, 25c, with 15c for children over  
8 years.

# Ayer's

What are your friends saying  
about you? That your gray  
hair makes you look old?  
And yet, you are not forty!  
Pospone this looking old.

## Hair Vigor

Use Ayer's Hair Vigor and  
restore to your gray hair all  
the deep, dark, rich color of  
early life. Then be satisfied.

"Ayer's Hair Vigor restored the natural  
color to my gray hair, and I am greatly  
pleased. It is all true, and I am  
glad to see it so widely advertised."  
Mrs. E. J. VANDERBILT, Mechanicville, N. Y.

For all Druggists.  
J. C. AYER & Co.,  
Lowell, Mass.

## Dark Hair

## CADAMUS.

Crops are looking better in this  
section as a result of the recent rains.  
Our merchants, Hall & Ramey, are  
doing a good business here.

Lyman Riley and wife visited home  
folks Sunday.  
L. P. Watson passed here last week  
enroute to Louisa.

Ed Riffe, John Collinsworth and Ben-  
nie Haws attended church at Fallsburg  
Saturday night.

Our Sunday School is progressing  
nicely with C. W. Jones as superintendent.  
Slasher Carter and wife visited rela-  
tives on Blaine recently.

Walter Diamond, of Deep Hole, was  
on our creek Sunday.

J. B. Hall is making regular trips to  
Tusculum.  
"Thorns," the noted marksman, re-  
ceived highest honors at the shooting  
match last week.

Clara Cooksey attended church at  
Fallsburg Sunday.

Ora Prince is driving a team for V.  
D. Harmon. Sioux.

### PEACH ORCHARD.

W. A. Marrs, the C. & O. agent at  
this place, is off on a thirty days vaca-  
tion. With Mrs. Marrs and family, he  
will spend the time visiting relatives in  
different parts of the state.

Cook Geiger, travelling salesman, was  
here last week.

John Wallace and family are here  
visiting his son, Clint.

David Spence, the Sunday School  
supt., gave us the following list of little  
boys and girls who received prizes for  
repeating Bible verses at the close of  
the quarter last Sunday:

Jennie Skeens, Ruby Brown, Gracie  
Kerns, Herma Blevins, Balle Blevins,  
Vaughan Spence, Row Spence, Lucin  
Small, Minnie Justice, Alvia Stafford,  
Charley Stafford, Daughie Finch.  
Wm. Quisenberry is very low.

G. W. Black is in the railroad office  
here while Mr. Marrs is away on a vaca-  
tion. J. B. B.

### ULYSSES.

Oats in this section are no good. Corn  
not much.

We are preparing for a Children's  
Day exercise at Walnut Grove on the  
4th of July. I hope we will have a good  
time.

Rev. West preached another of his  
good sermons here last Sunday.  
Miss Guss Brown, of Paintsville, is  
visiting her sister, Mrs. Josie Preston,  
at this place.

Some drunken toughs started to  
church last Saturday night, but fortun-  
ately they got down before getting  
there. Boys, look out, you may have  
your names published. We may not  
forget you in court. I hope the names  
of those who sold the drink to you will  
also be remembered.

Martin Borders is talking of moving  
to Paintsville to keep restaurant.  
Some of our folks attended the Child-  
ren's Day at Charley last Sunday.

A serious cutting affray took place at  
Lowmansville last Sunday. It is said  
that Jesse Murry was disturbing church  
and Kenis Murry tried to quiet him.  
When church was over Jesse followed  
Kenis and stabbed him in the back with  
his knife. We hope the wound is not  
fatal. Emerald.

### LAUREL HILL.

A. R. Bass, of Morgantown, Ind.,  
had to get up ten or twelve times  
in the night, and had a severe  
backache and pains in the kidneys.  
Was cured by Foley's Kidney  
Cure. Sold by Louisa Drug Co.

### WHEAT HARVESTING.

Wheat harvesting is done. Wheat is  
very sorry.  
Corn is gone by.

No rain for two months to wet the  
ground, except just a little on top.  
D. H. Ferguson visited at Keston Sun-  
day.

Roscoe Lemaster went to J. H. Estes'  
Sunday.

H. Salyer was here recently leaving  
some money and taking away sheep.  
A. M. Sagraves has been out getting  
subscribers for the NEWS. Hurrah for  
him.

G. K. Moore and D. V. Diles have gone  
to the railroad to work.

A family passed here Friday and called  
on A. M. Sagraves for something to  
eat, and said they had not eaten a bite  
since Wednesday. There were 3 little  
children.

Lewis Lemaster, our hustling mer-  
chant, is trying to get some one to  
haul off his produce and bring his goods  
in.

P. V. Williams was at J. H. Estes' on  
Friday.

A. M. Sagraves went to J. A. Diles'  
Monday.

H. F. Williams took a load of produce  
to Louisa this week and brought back a  
load of goods.

Some of our boys are talking of going  
to Ashland the 4th.

Mary Adams, of Louisa, visited at D.  
H. Ferguson's Wednesday.

D. H. Ferguson purchased two fine  
heifers of T. H. Bailey.

Several of our people attended Big  
Blaine church Sunday. It was the day  
for the foot-washing, but on account of  
Rev. Grimley being sick it was post-  
poned.

Cool weather and crops not growing  
and looking bad. X.

### CHARLEY.

We are glad to say there was a large  
and respectable crowd at the Children's  
Day service here Sunday, all seemed to  
enjoy themselves well. The pieces were  
rendered with great care by the little  
folks, as well as the larger ones. The  
choir furnished excellent music.

Several folks are preparing to attend  
the Children's Day service at Ulysses,  
July 4th.

H. S. Dean will teach our school.

Miss Mand Spencer, of River, attend-  
ed our Children's Day here.

Frank Austin is no better.

Clint Wheeler was here Sunday.

Several teams are hauling crosses for  
A. L. Moore.

Samuel Justice has sold his home and  
lot to Mart Moore, Jr.

Dr. L. B. Dean took dinner Sunday  
with H. S. Dean, A. L. Burton and Gus  
Moore. We think he has broken the  
record. Come again, Dr. Blue Hawk.

## FROM UP SANDY.

Latest News Items from Counties  
up the River.

### INEZ.

A wedding took place in our  
town Thursday evening. The con-  
tracting parties were Mr. Huff  
Hensley, of Mingo county, and  
Miss Jada Williamson, of this  
place. Rev. Patrick officiating.  
We wish them a long and happy  
life.

A few weeks ago the Paintsville  
paper stated that the Presbyterian  
Church has a Sunday School here  
at Eden numbering over one hun-  
dred; the truth is there is no Sun-  
day School here.

Rev. Andre preached in the court  
house Sunday night.

Prof. Talbert finished his school  
here and is gone to his home in  
Paintsville.

L. C. Richmond and wife, L.  
Dempsey and wife and probably  
others will spend the 4th at Clyffe-  
side and other points.

Dr. Spears and wife started for  
some point in Virginia last Sun-  
day to visit the Doctor's uncle, who  
is very low with consumption.

J. A. Aljo, former Supt of this  
place, is here.

The county institute will be held  
here, beginning Monday, July 6.

### PAINTSVILLE.

The boom in our town seems to  
be permanent. B. F. Hager's new  
residence is nearing completion.  
J. B. Wheatley has a nice tenement  
house nearly finished.

Dr. F. M. Hayes is constructing  
a fine brick office on court street.

G. V. Burton has secured a lot  
on Mill street and will at once  
build a business house and dwell-  
ing on the same.

We have a straight tip that the  
Standard Oil people will establish  
their headquarters here, and this  
will bring about the construction  
of several offices and dwellings.

Work on the railroad is being  
pushed with greater energy than  
ever.

Amid all this boom we must  
stop to chronicle one of the most  
mysterious murders ever com-  
mitted in Johnson county. On  
Sunday evening about six o'clock  
at Whitehouse, Bill Osborn killed  
Lee Dollarhide and it is alleged  
that Alex. Allen killed George  
Green. The best information we  
have is to the effect that Can Cheek,  
Alex. Allen and Bill Osborn were  
operating a push boat between  
Prestonsburg and Whitehouse and  
John McKee was with them. They  
all live in Floyd county. They  
had Cheek's push boat tied up at  
Whitehouse and loaded, but did  
not start out, and Sunday they all  
got drunk with Lee Dollarhide.

The latter was on Can Cheek's boat  
and got into a quarrel with Bill  
Osborn and drew his knife. Os-  
born grabbed a shot gun and shot  
Dollarhide's left arm nearly off.  
Dollarhide pursued him with his  
knife till he was knocked down twice  
with the shot gun, the last  
lick being struck on top the head,  
breaking his skull. Osborn then  
went on to the boat and Alex. Al-  
len and George Green followed  
him. Cheek at the time was on the  
boat. Cheek and Green had a  
slight controversy, but quit quar-  
reling. Then Osborn and Green  
had a dispute and Cheek tried to  
quiet them, but Green became en-  
raged and struck Cheek in the face,  
whereupon Alex. Allen shot Green  
dead. It is claimed by some that  
Lee Dollarhide had more than two  
hundred dollars on his person im-  
mediately before being killed and  
had no money after being killed.  
There seems to be a great deal of  
mystery about the whole matter,  
but the above is generally credited  
now. McKee, Cheek and Allen are  
in jail. Osborn has not been ar-  
rested. Rockefeller.

### BRONCHITIS FOR TWENTY YEARS.

Mrs. Minerva Smith, of Danville,  
Ill., writes: "I had bronchitis for  
twenty years and never got relief  
until I used Foley's Honey and Tar  
which is a sure cure." Sold by Louisa  
Drug Company.

### WANTED.

One hundred White or Chestnut  
Oak Piling delivered at Richard-  
son, Ky., twenty-seven feet long  
and eight inches diameter at small  
end.

Ten thousand each of Black Oak  
Ties (5x8) and (6x8) delivered  
at any siding on the Big Sandy  
Division. JAY H. NORTUP.

### HOW MANY HANDS.

do you suppose dip into that bulk coffee  
before you buy it?

## Lion Coffee

comes in sealed, air-  
tight packages; no  
chance for handling,  
or dirt or things to  
get in.

Clean, Fresh and Fragrant.

## Annual Sunday School Convention

of Lawrence county to be held at  
Louisa, July 29-30, 1903, under auspices  
of State and County Association.

PROGRAM—BAPTIST CHURCH.  
THURSDAY, 2:30 P. M.

2:30 Introductory words—President R.  
T. Burns, Louisa.

2:45 Convention Prayer Service—Rev.  
L. M. Copley, Louisa.

3:15 Meeting and Greeting.

3:45 How can this convention benefit  
the schools you represent, W. J.  
Vaughan, Mudge.

THURSDAY EVENING.

8:00 Devotional Service—Rev. Cheap,  
Louisa.

8:15 Welcome to Louisa—Hon. Alex-  
ander Lackey, Louisa.

8:30 Greeting from the Churches—Rev.  
L. M. Copley, Louisa.

8:45 Response—G. B. Carter, Bussey-  
ville.

9:00 Church training in the home and  
Sunday School—Prof. E. A. Fox,  
Louisville.

FRIDAY MORNING—M. E. CHURCH.

9:30 Devotional Service—Rev. J. H.  
Stambaugh, Blaine.

9:45 Christ the Great Teacher—Prof.  
E. A. Fox, Louisville.

10:15 The Teachers as a Soul Winner—  
Rev. Cheap, Louisa.

10:45 Lesson Preparation—Prof. E. A.  
Fox, Louisville.

11:15 County Secretary's report.

11:25 Offering for State work—Prof. E.  
A. Fox.

11:55 Appointment of Committees.

AFTERNOON.

1:45 Inducement to attend the State  
Convention at Lexington, August  
11-20—Prof. Fox.

2:00 Song and Praise Service.

2:15 The Normal Department—Rev.  
Wm. M. Washington, Ashland.

2:30 Ten minute talk on the Sunday  
School—Four in hand.

1. The parents, Rev. L. M. Copley,  
Louisa.

2. The Pastor—Rev. S. A. Donahoe,  
Ashland.

3. The Superintendent—Dr. J. M. Boland,  
Louisville.

2:55 Round Table—The Primary work  
Mrs. Sue G. Cheap, Louisa.

3:15 Bringing the little ones into the  
fold—Sister Boland, Louisa.

EVENING—M. E. CHURCH, SOUTH.

8:00 Song and Praise Service.

8:15 Prayer for Guidance.

8:30 Using our opportunities—Rev. L.  
M. Copley, Louisa.

8:45 The value of co-operation—Rev.  
S. A. Donahoe, Ashland.

SATURDAY MORNING.

9:00 Devotional Service—Rev. J. M.  
Boland, Louisa.

9:15 Report of committees.

9:30 Five minute talks on the plain  
duties of County and District of-  
ficers.

1. County Executive Committee—G.  
B. Carter, Busseyville.

2. County President—Rev. Wm. M.  
Washington, Ashland.

3. County Secretary—Rev. S. A. Don-  
ahoe, Ashland.

4. District President—Dr. J. F. Hat-  
ten, Buchanan.

5. District Secretary—Rev. A. J. Fran-  
zier, Casper.

10:00 The problem of five thousand who  
are out of Sunday School in Law-  
rence county—Rev. G. M. Copley,  
Louisa.

10:45 Be Faithful—Rev. J. M. Boland,  
Louisville.

Adjourn.

R. T. BURNS, Pres.

W. J. VAUGHAN, Sec.

Two Bottles Cured Him.

"I was troubled with kidney  
complaint for about two years,"  
writes A. H. Davis, of Mt. Sterling,  
Ind., "but two bottles of Foley's Kid-  
ney Cure effected a permanent  
cure." Sold by Louisa Drug Co.

### FALLSBURG.

Revs. Pierce and Taylor are hav-  
ing large crowds. Their canvass is  
crowded with people and the gen-  
eral opinion is that they are the  
best orators that ever visited Fall-  
sburg. Some nights their audience  
has been between 300 and 400 peo-  
ple. Little Skeens and wife, from  
Kansas, are here visiting relatives.

Mr. Elam, of Greenup, is here  
visiting Dr. Carter. James  
Grubb has a new addition to his  
family—a fine ten pound girl.

U. E. S.

### PROSPERITY.

Bella Carter, who has been very ill, is  
better.

Jettie Carter visited at Charley Sun-  
day.

Bonny Haws visited relatives here re-  
cently.

Ruby Sweetman visited at M. S. Grubb's  
Sunday.

There will be a pie mite at Elm Grove  
Saturday night, July 11. Everybody  
invited to come.

Scott Grubb has a new renter on his  
farm.

Pike Roberts went to Cherokee Sun-  
day.

Mit Evans is selling churn dashers—  
Pickle Beets.

### LICK CREEK.

We had a very nice time here Saturday  
night.

Our Sunday School is growing nicely.  
Ollie Carter returned home from west  
last week.

Leola Day is very sick with fever.

Miss Nolda Wellman and Patsie  
Shannon are visiting their cousins, Em-  
ma and Nannie See.

Miss Nannie See is very ill with fever.  
Miss Patsie Carter visited at Mary's  
Chapel Sunday.

Misses Lucy and Flora Figg visited  
Mrs. Elsie Gathen Sunday.

Miss Glibbe Figg visited her cousin at  
Blaine Sunday.

Edna and sister Viola left Mon-  
day for Texas.

Miss Ida Chapman has returned from  
Ashland, where she visited for quite  
a while. 2 wild boys.

## OUR NEIGHBORS.

Mrs. Meriba Herford, age 88,  
widow of Dr. Herford, died near  
Prestonsburg recently. She was  
grandmother of James C. Johns, of  
Louisa.

Engineer John McDyer, from  
Cattlettsburg, went to Pike county  
last week to deliver plans for new  
county bridges, which the fiscal  
court ordered him to prepare.

John D. McClintock, of the  
wholesale grocery firm of Chatfield,  
McClintock & Co., of Cattlettsburg,  
was married last week to Miss  
Dixie Newberry, daughter of Jeff  
Newberry, of Cattlettsburg.

Everett Bailey, a barber at Olive  
Hill, killed deputy marshal Gus  
Hall while he was trying to serve  
a warrant for stealing some barber  
tools. Marshal Lewis White heard  
the fatal shots and ran to the  
scene, shooting Bailey to death.

Sunday, at his residence on Dur-  
bin's creek, John Lester, one



# BIG SANDY NEWS.

FRIDAY, JUNE 20, 1903.

Come and consult us about your

## TEETH!

Your looks—your health depend greatly on your teeth. If your teeth are decayed or irregular, or if you have the tooth ache, your beauty is not only spoiled but your health is impaired. Come to us with your Tooth Troubles—we will right them in a very satisfactory manner. We don't charge anything for examining your teeth.

We also pay ferrage for all Kentucky patrons.

Big Sandy Dental Office,  
Cassville, W. Va.

### BEFORE THE FOURTH.

Little Willie has ten fingers on his hands today. Ah, what apprehension lingers when we should be gay.

For a question grin, unanny. Fills the soul with sorrow. Can he hold up just as many when we're through the morrow?

See what nice things Chambers & Co. have to eat.

A fine horse belonging to J. W. Shannon died here Wednesday.

Fresh fruit constantly on hands at Robt. Burchett's.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Will Calnes, a daughter, last Saturday.

Langdon's rolls at Sullivan's every Monday.

For a nice lunch on the 4th go to Chambers & Co.

If you want fresh groceries you should buy from Robt. Burchett.

Follow the crowd the 4th. They all go to Chambers & Co.

If you want your money's worth in ladies or gents fine shoes look at A. J. Loar & Co's new stock.

Special bargains on all staple groceries at Chambers' the 4th.

H. C. Corns has malarial instead of typhoid fever and is convalescing.

New stock latest style clothing and hats at prices that will please you at A. J. Loar & Co.

A little granddaughter of Dr. J. W. Swetnam, of Whitehouse, died Sunday afternoon.

Look at the great bargains in new spring clothing of the latest styles at A. J. Loar & Co's.

Before you buy your shoes, children, ladies or gents, come and examine ours.

D. BROWN & CO.

Little Ruth Castline has been quite sick for about ten days, but is now considerably improved.

New stock ladies fine shoe and oxford ties, latest styles, at A. J. Loar & Co's.

U. S. Engineer B. F. Thomas accompanied Col. E. H. Ruffner on a trip to Kentucky river a few days ago.

Our immense spring and summer stock is now arriving daily. Come and see it we can't please you.

D. BROWN & CO.

Cow for sale: Full blood Jersey cow with first calf. Has been fresh less than a month. Price \$35. Apply to A. Snyder.

For sale:—34 horse power engine and 5-horse boiler, cheap. Have just been put into first class condition. Apply to James Compton, Busseyville.

Rev. I. B. Hutchison, of Catlettsburg, stopped here Monday on his way home from Whitehouse, where he is now doing church and Sunday School work regularly.

When in Whitehouse go to the Hensley Hotel. Everything new and up to date. Meals 35c, lodging 35c. C. E. HENSLEY, Prop. Dave Hall's old stand.

U. S. Junior Engineer H. A. Schulze received orders Wednesday to report for duty at once on Kentucky river and left Thursday morning for Richmond.

WANTED—20 teams at \$3 a day, and 6 good teamsters at \$18 a month and board. All summer job. T. W. WILKINSON, Yorkville, W. Va.

Wm. H. Sturgill, age 21, and Miss Grovie O. Loar, 15, were married a few days ago near here. The bride is a daughter of Henry Loar, of W. Va.

If you can't find what you want in Hardware, Glassware, Queensware, Granite, Tinware, Millinery Goods and Notions, call on the Racket, next door to Wholesale.

A very large crowd was out to hear the open air concert by the band Friday night, and many are the expressions of enjoyment heard from those who were out.

There are two of those \$7.50 lawn swings for \$5.00 still unsold at the Snyder Hardware store. Hold four passengers each and is very strong built. Also, \$12.00 gliding seats for verandas, \$8.50.

# THE ROAD QUESTION.

## Interview With Judge Vinson on the Recent Change in Plans.

"Judge, how is your new plan for managing road work starting off?" Inquired the News man of Judge R. F. Vinson.

"It is not a new plan," answered the Judge, "though that is evidently the impression that has gone out. The order made by the Fiscal Court at my suggestion and with only one opposing vote was in conformity with the statute now in force. Heretofore the old general statute of 1887 has been followed. Just let me show you that this is true." And he took a statute of 1887 and read sections 23, 24, 25 and 31, which provided for the appointment of a surveyor for each road and the assignment of each road to a particular road. Also, other details which are not of interest here.

"Now, let's look at sections 4306, 8-9-15-46 of the new Statute of Kentucky and you find the law which went into effect in March 1894, (with some changes in 1898), and will see that I am required to do most of this and authorized to do the remainder of what I have done."

We have not space to publish the law cited by the Judge in this instance, but in substance it says: The Fiscal Court shall prescribe rules and regulations for the management of roads and bridges, maintaining them by taxation or labor, or both.

All able-bodied male citizens over 18 and under 50 may be required to work six days or in cases of unusual emergency, a greater number of days.

County Judges at first session after this statute went into effect were directed to divide county into road precincts, subjecting all available citizens to work on the roads within those precincts, and appointing an overseer for each precinct.

It will be noticed here that the overseer is given charge of the roads in his precinct and the road hands are subject to work on the roads within that boundary, while under the old law both the overseer and the road hands were assigned to a particular section of a road. This permits the use of the hands wherever needed worst, distributes the burden equitably, and makes it possible to keep the bad places worked out.

The other sections prescribe duties of supervisors, and set forth the powers under which the salary of \$50 per year is paid to the overseers.

"These provisions never having been put into effect we are simply enforcing them. I have decided to redistrict the road districts to conform to the voting precincts, thus saving expense and confusion of forming new precincts. This will put the road labor into the hands of seventeen men, whom it is my intention to select from among the very best citizens in the county. It will be suggested to them that the hands be used four days on main roads and two days on the cross roads.

"Judge, we hear the objection offered that the hands may be forced to go entirely across these large precincts to work, thereby making it a great hardship."

"I shall appoint overseers who have too much judgment and consideration to do such a foolish and unnecessary thing. Nobody will be required to go an unreasonable distance," replied the Judge. "The objection of the expense incurred by the small salaries to these overseers is also nullified by the fact that practically this amount is saved in the cost of executing the great number of road orders required under the old system, which will be done away with now. Also, there will be economy in the matter of road tools. There are now more than \$1000 worth of tools scattered among the 200 to 300 overseers. All these must be delivered to the new overseers and will supply them so well that it should not be necessary to buy anything near the number purchased annually heretofore. The new overseer will haul them from one part of his precinct to another as the various sections are worked out."

"I understand that a great many people lay the whole burden of the roads upon me, and I am willing to bear my share of it and hope to fully vindicate my course. But there are a few important facts that may not be generally known which I will briefly refer to now. The road and bridge claims created prior to Jan. 1, 1902, overdraw the road fund of Lawrence county \$10,255.43. There created since that time amount to \$2226.71. The levy of 1903 when fully applied will reduce this to \$8802.14. We have no legal right to overdraw any fund, but the people have rendered the services for all this, and I presume no one would advocate repudiating the debt. So you see we are seriously handicapped. The limit of the road tax levy is 25 cents on the \$100 worth and our county has gone beyond that right along."

"My desire is to keep within the law and get the very best results possible and with reasonable cooperation on the part of the people

I will be able to put everything in a satisfactory condition. Our citizens should remember that the road question is one of mutual interest, and every man shows in his attitude on this subject just how much or how little public spirit and liberality he possesses."

## A Secret Well Kept.

It is not often that a couple succeeds in getting married and keeping the fact a secret until ready to divulge it, but one exception is the case of Alonzo C. Pigg and Miss Ora Rule, both of this place. Their friends were very much surprised last Sunday to learn that they had been married more than a month previous.

The wedding occurred at Ironton on May 27th, the day of the excursion to Ashland given the Sunday School of the M. E. Church. Mr. Pigg stole away to Ironton in the forenoon, procured the license and made all arrangements. Coming back to Coal Grove he was met by Miss Rule, who had made a plausible excuse to her young lady friends for getting away. They went at once to the residence of Rev. Smith, pastor of Spencer M. E. Church, where they were married at noon. Returning to Ashland they separated, Mr. Pigg coming on home and Mrs. Pigg going to Catlettsburg to visit friends. The plan was adopted more in a spirit of romance than anything else. The happy couple were busy Sunday receiving congratulations of friends. They are deserving young people who will win success in life by their industry and efficiency. Both are members of the M. E. Church South and Sunday School. They are now at the home of Mrs. Rebecca Lewis, mother of the groom.

## A DAM SITE

Selected for No. 1 on Tug Fork, Five Miles Above Louisa.

It will be good news to people of the Tug valley to hear that the selection of a location for Lock and Dam No. 1 on Tug Fork of Big Sandy river has been made. It is to be built on the lands of Mr. G. D. Williamson and Chas. F. See. The lock will probably be located on the Kentucky side of the river, as the foundation is somewhat better there. The distance from the Louisa dam is five miles.

This lock and dam will be the most expensive on the river because of the extreme depth of the foundation.

The next step is to procure the necessary land on each side of the river to meet the requirements of building and operating. The Department of Justice, which must handle this matter, moves exceedingly slow. If anything has yet been done by this department toward procuring the site selected some time ago on Levisa it is not known to anyone on the outside.

The location of these new dams is at a distance that evidently indicates the intention of the engineers to raise the Louisa dam four and a half or five feet. The Levisa dam is to be eight miles above Louisa, but the difference in the fall of the two forks gives each of the new dams practically the same relation to the pool formed by this dam.

The severest storm that has visited here for some time was last Saturday night. The lightning and thunder was very severe. A tree standing near T. J. Branham's residence was struck.

W. O. Pierce has been transferred from the Louisa office of the C. & O. to Salt Lick to fill the position of agent for two months, while the regular agent takes a vacation. His family will go with him.

The Bank of Louisa declared a dividend of eight per cent. July 1st on the business of the past six months. There is not a more substantial institution of the size anywhere in the country than this.

Teets Bros. circus was here Tuesday. But few people came from the country to see it, and they were sorry they came. It was a very small affair. Whitehouse was "favored" with this show Monday.

The Whitehouse Cannel Coal Company has sued Stone, Brown & Co., Cincinnati coal dealers, for \$4,950 for balance due on coal purchased. The Torchlight Company has filed a similar suit against this firm for \$2500.

Mr. M. P. Haney, of Normal, Ill., is now on duty at Conley's store. He comes highly recommended as a watchmaker, jeweler and engraver, and also as a character. Bring in whatever work you may have in this line and it will be done in the best manner.

R. A. Bickel, agent for the Washington Life Insurance Company, has paid to Mrs. James P. Shannon one thousand dollars, insurance on the life of her son Dan, whose tragic death occurred a short time ago. The policy was issued less than a month before his death and was made payable to his mother. The settlement was very prompt.

# THREE KILLED.

## Blind Tigers Caused Three Murders Last Sunday.

Lee Dollarhide and Geo. Greene instantly killed by Wm. Osborn at Whitehouse.

Jack Gilkerson fatally shot by Ulysses Patrick, Jr., near Falls of Tug.

That is the record for last Sunday. All three of the tragedies took place at illicit liquor boats, with which the citizens all along the river are being harassed more than ever of late. The large amount of railroad work creates an unusual demand for the stuff and there are always a lot of fellows ready to take all kinds of chances to supply such demands.

The double murder at Whitehouse occurred at Bill Osborn's boat Sunday evening. Osborn first shot Dollarhide and then quickly finished the job by clubbing him. This occurred at the water's edge near the boat. George Greene entered the boat a few minutes afterward and was shot to death. Osborn then stepped out of the boat and waded across the river. He was very drunk and did not make very rapid progress in getting away. A posse was quickly formed and went in pursuit. They were very cautious, however, as Osborn was well armed and a desperate character. He declared he would not be captured but would surrender to the proper officials. Soon after dark fifteen or twenty shots were heard from the supposed locality of the posse and the report has since been circulated that Osborn was killed. However, the next morning a blood hound was taken from Kenova to Whitehouse in response to a telegram. The dog was used all afternoon in trying to find Osborn's trail, but without success.

It is said the three men involved in this tragedy had quarreled over a game of cards a short time before the killing.

Dollarhide was a resident of Whitehouse and was under indictment in U. S. Court for illicit liquor dealing. He leaves a family.

Greene was unmarried and his home was on Blaine, in this county. He was employed as a teamster by Thos. Burchett, the blacksmith at Whitehouse.

Osborn is said to be a son of "Bad Bill" Osborn of Beaver, Floyd county, who has a long list of dead ones to his credit—or discredit. The old man is said to have reformed some years ago, however, and become a preacher.

Our Paintsville correspondent gives another version of the affair. Three men are in jail there charged with complicity in the crime.

### THE TUG TROUBLE.

On Sunday afternoon near the Falls of Tug, ten miles southeast of Louisa, Ulysses Fitzpatrick, Jr., fatally shot Jack Gilkerson. The affair occurred on the West Virginia side of the river, near a "blind tiger," where a number had congregated and were drinking. Gilkerson lived until ten o'clock that night.

It is probably a case of self-defense, as it is alleged that Gilkerson was attempting to shoot Fitzpatrick. The latter got in his work first, firing twice and hitting his victim both times. The ball that caused death entered the abdomen and passed out through the lower part of the back. The other bullet took effect in the shoulder. A 44-revolver was used.

There had been no previous trouble between the men, so far as we can learn. Gilkerson was drunk. When in that condition he was inclined to be quarrelsome, but when sober was a good citizen. Fitzpatrick is reported to have been sober when the trouble occurred. He left soon afterward, saying he was going to Wayne to surrender to the authorities.

Fitzpatrick is about 23 years old and married, and is a son of James Fitzpatrick. He and his brother have a small store in that neighborhood. Gilkerson was a farmer, about 55 years old. He leaves a family, and all of his children are grown. Both the men were residents of this county.

### Hotel for Sale.

The Brunswick Hotel is offered for sale. It has 30 good rooms, with gas in all for fuel and lights. Newly papered and painted, well furnished throughout. Good sample rooms, barber shop and store room. Most desirable location in town. Large lot. For price inquire of M. F. Conley or Mrs. L. T. McClure. Reason for sale, ill health of proprietors wife.

### For Sale.

Our interest in the McHenry land and mineral in Lawrence and adjoining counties. Those wishing to buy please address, Mrs. Elizabeth McHenry, Louisa, Ky.

### UNCLAIMED LETTERS.

List of letters remaining unclaimed in this office July 2nd, 1903:

Miss Clemey Davis.

Mr. Lefe Moore.

A. M. HUGHES, P. M.

# Of Interest to Public Schools.

As there has been considerable discussion in the county during the past year as to what Geographies have been adopted for use in the public schools, the following letter from Superintendent Holbrook will doubtless be read with interest by the teachers and school patrons.

Louisa, Ky., June 30, 1903.  
Frye's Elements of Geography and Frye's Complete Geography were adopted, December 14, 1901, by M. G. Watson, Jay O'Daniel, and D. J. Thompson, who then constituted the Board of Examiners for Lawrence county, for five years from that date.

The Attorney General of the State has decided that their adoption is legal and binding.

It therefore becomes my duty to notify the Teachers of Lawrence county that Frye's Geographies are the only Geographies which can legally be used in the school of said county for the five years term mentioned above.

RALPH W. HOLBROOK,  
County Superintendent.

## PROGRAM

For Fourth of July Celebration at Louisa.

The latest attraction, and one of the biggest, secured for the 4th of July celebration at this place, is that of Judge S. S. Savage, of Ashland, as orator of the day. He has been given a prominent place on the program and will deliver one of his inimitable addresses. The committee and the people are to be congratulated upon securing him for this occasion.

The parade promises to be a big affair. Handsome floats are being prepared; various kinds of music will be introduced; rag-a-muffs will amuse the crowd, and long lines of horsemen will stir up patriotism by their hurrahs. Beautiful girls, fittingly dressed, will represent the various States, and a Goddess of Liberty will occupy her place of honor.

Following is a list of attractions for the 4th of July celebration provided for up to this date. Exercises begin at 9 a. m.

### FORENOON.

Grand Parade.  
Tight Rope Walking—Prof. John Barnett.  
Climbing Greased Pole.  
Catching the Greased Pig.  
Program interspersed with music by Louisa Cornet Band.

### AFTERNOON.

Base Ball—Louisa vs Rush.  
Bicycle Race—Boys under 16 years of age.  
Bicycle Race—All over 16 years of age.  
Egg Race.  
Sack Race.  
Potato Race.  
Wheelbarrow Race.  
Foot Race.  
Tug of War.  
Boxing Match.  
Tub Race.

### EVENING.

Band Concert.  
Fireworks.  
SPECIAL PRIZES.  
To the ugliest man present—A fine hat.  
To the prettiest girl—Pair of gloves.  
To the most popular feature of the parade—\$1.00.  
Prizes will be given in all the contests, most of them cash. The list will be printed on the program for distribution that day.

The parade will start at 9:30 a. m. People from the country are invited to participate. All who will come mounted and take part will be furnished with false faces and flags. Grotesque costumes will be welcomed and will add to the interest. Col. Jay H. Northup, assisted by others, will have charge of the parade.

Black Mammy paint is ready mixed. Requires no stirring, you're always fixed.

## "BLACK MAMMY."

The many friends of Mr. H. W. Jenkins and family regret very much to lose them from this community and hope they will find it convenient to return after a few months stay in Texas. They are recognized by everybody as good people. Rev. Cheap, pastor of the M. E. Church, says that Miss Maggie McKinzie is greatly missed from the Sunday School and church. She has been one of the most efficient teachers in that Sunday School for many years.

The News office does the best quality of printing and always uses first class stock unless otherwise ordered. Prices guaranteed as low as any place for any quality.

Billie Newman, an N. & W. brakeman, had a leg cut off by a train at Echo Wednesday night. No particulars obtained. He is 24 years old and married.

It costs you nothing to look through our stock and it may save you a good deal of money to do so when you need clothing, gents furnishings, or shoes for men, women or children.

MOORE & JORDAN.

## WILL YOU TRY IT?

Queen Quality

Are you ever irritable?

Many a woman can trace her irritability to ill-fitting shoes. It is hard to be cheerful, isn't it, when all the time there is a drag and pinch upon the feet?

But there is one shoe that is different from all other shoes; different in this singular matter of fit. It is not made like a box into which the foot is thrust. It is rather made on the plan of a bandage which is wrapped around the muscles of the foot to strengthen and sustain them.

That Shoe is the "Queen Quality."

It is a shoe that strengthens the foot every day it is worn. It has made walking easier for thousands of women. It will do it for you. Will you let it?

\$3.00 the pair.

G. W. GUNNELL.

To Cure a Cold in One Day

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. Cures Grip in Two Days. on every box 25c.

Nasal CATARRH

Ely's Cream Balm

Paint your roof with "BLACK MAMMY."

PERSONALS.

Mrs. H. C. Sullivan is visiting in Catlettsburg.

Walter Reynolds, of Paintsville, was here Monday.

Mr. J. A. Abbott was down this week from Beaver to see his family.

Lafe Compton and wife were guests of Louisa relatives this week.

Miss Belle Cummings went to Cincinnati yesterday to visit her sister, Mrs. Adams.

Miss Corinne Patton, of Catlettsburg, was the guest of Mrs. F. T. D. Wallace this week.

Miss Mattie Wallace is visiting relatives in Catlettsburg and other points down the river.

Mrs. Fannie Wade has gone to Pence's Springs, W. Va., to spend the summer with friends.

Miss Allie Olds, of Iowa, who formerly made her home here with her uncle, Mr. George Reeder, will visit Louisa friends for awhile.

Dan M. Staten and Miss Blackwood, of Huntington, came up Saturday to be the guests of Mr. Staten's sister, Mrs. H. G. Burchett, for a few days.

Mrs. D. H. Carpenter returned yesterday from a visit to home folks at Louisa, having accompanied her nephew, George Fairfax Gunnell, home on his return from V. M. I. College at Lexington, Va., where he has been for the last school year.—Catlettsburg cor. Ashland Independent.

The Santa Fe New Mexican says: "R. S. Mauger, of Washington, D. C., has been employed by Gibson & Mitchell as manager, and to take charge of Sunmount and the Tent City. Mr. Mauger has had considerable experience in the management of similar resorts and was for several years connected in a prominent capacity with the administration of the Euclid Beach Park at Cleveland, Ohio. He arrived in town today. Mr. Mauger about two years ago married Miss Yessie McClure, daughter of H. C. McClure, supervisor of the Gila Forest Reserve. He comes well recommended as a competent business man and will have charge not only of the Sunmount Addition and the Tent City, but also of the company's city office and its correspondence."

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Our stock is entirely new, large and strictly up-to-date. Prices as low as anywhere. The trade of Big Sandy merchants is respectfully solicited.

RACKET STORE!

Next Door to Wholesale Grocery.

To save money on buying goods is what you want. Don't take our word for it but come and price our goods.

Perfumes, Creams, Nail Powder, Face Powder, Toilet Waters, Soap, and Hair Tonics a specialty.

GAULT BROS., Louisa, - Kentucky.

Buy Green Seal Shoes

For Men, Women and Children—made in Louisville, Ky., with oak tanned soles—the best wearing leather in the world. All absolutely solid. No paper soles.

Women's Vici Kid \$2.00 Shoe for \$1.45

" Dongola 1.25 " " 1.00

Men's Vici 3.00 " " 2.50

" Plow 1.25 " " 95c-up.

For sale by RACKET STORE, Louisa, Kentucky.

Land Sale for Taxes.

On the 3rd Monday in July, 1903, it being County Court day, I will sell at public outcry to the highest and best bidder, at the front door of the Court House in Louisa, Lawrence county, Ky., for cash in hand, the following described lands, to satisfy the taxes against said lands in my hands for the year 1901.

NAME	NEAREST RES.	YR.	ACRES	VAL.	TAX	PEN.	COST	TOTAL
Hays, Willie	I. H. Borders	1901	80	\$400	6.30	75	\$2.00	\$8.00
Miller, W. M.	E. Judd	1901	10	40	1.00	24	—	1.14

D. D. DANIEL, D. S. L. C.



## The Price of Pleasure.

It is hard for a lovely woman to forego the pleasures of the life which she was created to enjoy and adorn. She may have to be busy all day in office or in store, yet she cannot deny herself the social pleasures which are offered her. But the fatigue is often too great for her, and she suffers from headache and backache as a consequence of over-exertion. Women who are tired and worn out will find a perfect cure in Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It cures headache, backache and the other aches and pains to which women are subject. It establishes regularity, dries weakening drains, heals inflammation and ulceration, and cures female weakness. It makes weak women strong and sick women well.

"I am so pleased with your instructions, that I have written to you for your kind advice. I have been suffering from headache and backache for some time, and I have been told that I have a weak constitution. I have been taking Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, and I feel much better. I am so much more comfortable, and I am able to do my work. I am so much more comfortable, and I am able to do my work. I am so much more comfortable, and I am able to do my work."

Sick women, especially those suffering from diseases of long standing, are invited to consult Dr. Pierce, by letter, free. All correspondence is held as strictly private and confidential. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

## OUR NEIGHBORS.

Greenup, Ky., June 25.—Sheriff Sam T. Bailey returned this evening from Belaire, Mich., where he went after Alfred Ruggles, the fugitive who broke jail here. He reports that Ruggles broke jail and escaped with three other prisoners.

Jesse B. Craft, who has been in the "pen" twice secured a horse and buggy from grocer Dan H. Roberts, of Paintsville, two or three weeks ago and has not been found since, though a search has been made for him. It is said Craft also secured money for forged checks.

Mr. Garrett, the bank examiner, was here the first of the week inspecting the books of the Paintsville National Bank. He found everything in first-class condition and complimented Mr. Buckingham very highly on his able management of affairs.—Paintsville Herald.

The pipe line is nearing Paintsville. A large force is at work a short distance from town and it is thought the line will reach here by Saturday or Monday. The Cumberland Pipe Line Co. is taking advantage of the fine weather and hopes to have the line reach McFarland, in Rich county, W. Va., in two months. Thousands of laborers are at work all along the line.—Herald.

The Cincinnati Enquirer says:—Hon. James N. Kehoe, of Mayville, Ky., Congressman from the Ninth District, is at the Gibson, accompanied by his wife, two daughters and two sons.

"I am here to confer with Colonel Lydecker and Major Ruffner, the Government Engineers, concerning the improvement of the Big Sandy River and the commencement of the construction of the pier at Mayville, for which I secured an appropriation of \$20,000 at the last session of Congress. Work is under way on the two locks on the Big Sandy River, between Louisa and the confluence with the Ohio, and I want to urge the engineers to locate the sites for the two on the forks above Louisa, one on the Tug River and the other on the Louisa, this summer, for which appropriations have been made.

"We members from throughout the Ohio Valley and its tributaries intend to put in our best efforts during the next session of Congress for sufficient appropriations to put the thorough improvement of the Ohio River under speedy headway, for there is no use of improving the tributaries and then land on a sandbar outside. There is nothing that would contribute to the progress and permanent prosperity of Cincinnati as the improvement of the Ohio River, and we will have the hearty co-operation of the best business men of the city in presentation before Congress.

## Working Night and Day.

The busiest and mightiest little thing that ever was made is Dr. King's New Life Pills. "These pills change weakness into strength, listlessness into energy, brain-fag into mental power. They're wonderful in building up the health. Only 25c per box. Sold by A. M. Hughes.

For RENT—Cottage, 5 rooms, all conveniences, good neighborhood. W. REMELLE.

## SCOTT'S EMULSION

A food because it stands so emphatically for perfect nutrition. And yet in the matter of restoring appetite, of giving new strength to the tissues, especially to the nerves, its action is that of a medicine.

Send for free sample. SCOTT'S & BOWEN, Chemists, 409-411 Pearl Street, New York. Sold by all druggists.

## Clover and Pea Vine Hay.

The storing of clover and pea vine hay in a partially wilted condition has been practiced by me for over twenty years with perfect success, says W. F. Massey. I have heard talk about spontaneous combustion, but my impression is that where there have been genuine instances of this they resulted not from the green hay itself. I have never known anything like combustion in green hay, and I have had barns of it in a very hot condition. With clover and any other legume the hay is much better if the leaves are preserved, and the hay is cured with as little exposure to the sun as possible. I cut clover in the morning as soon as the dew is about dried off, and start the tedder after the mow, so as to wilt the hay as rapidly as possible. Stop cutting at 2 p. m. and get all cut that day into windrows in the afternoon. Next day open up the windrows to dry off and put into cocks as soon as dried. The next day haul into the barn as soon as the tops of the cocks are dry, and pack away closely. My test is the old one of twisting a handful of the hay and if no sap runs to the twist it is ready to go in. I treat our cow pea hay in the same way, except that it should stay a little longer in the cocks, and is not damaged by rain as clover is. I cure cow pea hay in this way every year, and always have good hay.

Rushville, Ind. Messrs. Ely Brothers:—I have been a great sufferer from catarrh and hay fever and tried many things, but found no permanent relief until I found it in Elys Cream Balm about eight years ago, and we have been fast friends ever since. (Rev.) B. M. Bentley.

Messrs. Ely Bros.:—Find enclosed 50 cents, for which send me your Cream Balm. I find your remedy the quickest and most permanent cure for cold in the head, catarrh, etc. Yours truly, Del M. Potter Gen. Mgr. Arizona Gold Mining Co.

A prudent man forsooth the evil and hideth himself.

## Brutally Tortured.

A case came to light that for persistent and unrelenting torture has perhaps never been equaled. Joe Golobick, of Colusa, Cal., writes: "For 15 years I endured insufferable pain from Rheumatism and nothing relieved me though I tried everything known. I came across Electric Bitters and it's the greatest medicine on earth for that trouble. A few bottles of it completely relieved and cured me." Just as good for Liver and Kidney troubles and general debility. Only 50c. Satisfaction guaranteed by A. M. Hughes, Druggist.

An approving conscience is better than an applauding world.

The Foundation of Health. Nourishment is the foundation of health—life—strength. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure is the one great medicine that enables the stomach and digestive organs to digest assimilate and transform all foods into the kind of blood that nourishes the nerves and feeds the tissues. Kodol lays the foundation for health. Nature does the rest. Indigestion, Dyspepsia, and all disorders of the stomach and digestive organs are cured by Kodol. Sold by Louisa Drug Co. J. D. Biggs Mgr.

"Tis deeds must win the prize," unless they fall into a lawyer's hands.

Catarrh of the Stomach. When the stomach is overloaded; when food is taken into it that fails to digest, it decays and inflames the mucous membrane, exposing the nerves, and causes the glands to secrete mucus, instead of the natural juices of digestion. This is called Catarrh of the Stomach. For years I suffered with Catarrh of the Stomach, caused by indigestion. Doctors and medicines failed to benefit me until I used Kodol Dyspepsia Cure.—J. R. Rhoea, Coppell, Tex. Sold by Louisa Drug Co. J. D. Biggs Mgr.

Ice cream is being served by Mrs. Robt. Burchett in the room adjoining Mr. Burchett's store. [cf.]

No man or woman in the state will hesitate to speak well of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets after once trying them. They always produce a pleasant movement of the bowels, improve the appetite and strengthen the digestion. For sale by A. M. Hughes.

## A Diagnosis of Kentucky.

Kentucky's hills are full of rills And all the rills are lined with stills. And all the stills are full of gills. And all the gills are full of thrills. And all the thrills are full of kills.

You see, the feudists dot the hills And camp along the little rills. Convenient to the busy stills. And thirsting for the brimming gills. And when the juice his system fills Each feudist howls around and kills. Now, if they'd only stop the stills They'd cure Kentucky's many ills—Men would be spared to climb the hills And operate the busy stills. However, this would mean more gills And that, of course, would mean more thrills. Resulting in the same old kills. So all the hills and rills and stills And all the gills and thrills and kills Are splendid for the coffin mills. And make more undertaker's bills.

—W. D. N. in Chicago Tribune. The above is an outside view of Kentucky. It is an exaggerated picture, but is entertainingly drawn.

## 14th KY. VOLUNTEER.

J. P. Coleman, Cos. B. & A. Writes From California to His Old Comrades.

We are in receipt of the following letter which will be read with interest by the surviving members of the old 14th Ky., as well as other friends of Mr. Coleman, but few of whom have heard from him for nearly forty years. He is one of the editors of the "Nazarene Messenger," a religious publication: Ed. BIG SANDY NEWS:—

I am in receipt of two copies of your paper sent to me by my esteemed friend, Rev. I. B. Hutchinson, at one time a resident of your town, but now of Catlettsburg. What a flood of memories were called up, and how many familiar forms seemed to pass in review as I thought I traveled back over the interval of nearly forty years! I read the papers over carefully and then examined the advertisements in search of familiar names, but there were none I could recall distinctly. I was greatly interested in reading the articles giving an account of the early life of Col. Bill Smith. I have a vivid recollection of forming his acquaintance one evening in the early part of April, 1865, in Cassville, W. Va. In those days he had rather an unceremonious way of introducing himself, but it was usually effectual and produced a lasting impression—provided you lived to remember it. I think an account of the later years of his eventful life would afford entertaining reading, not only to the immediate participants of those stirring days, but to many others besides. I was sorry to learn that the old Col. had closed his earthly career. I should like very much to have met him and talked over old times. It is only known to him and myself how near the verge of eternity each of us was on that eventful evening in April near the close of the war; the motion of a hand would have ended the life of one or both of us.

I recall my first trip to Cassville and Louisa in the early part of the war, when under the leadership of that bold and fearless scout, Jack Meadows, a member of the 5th W. Va. We marched all night from Catlettsburg, reaching Cassville just at day break. Through an unfortunate mistake a company of the 5th W. Va., from Ceredo, arrived at the same time and coming up onto the ridge to the rear of town, fired into us and shot two of our men.

So many things crowd in upon me I find it difficult to write connectedly. I presume that there have been great changes as well as important improvements in your vicinity in the past 38 years. If we, who have been absent since the close of the war, should be permitted to return again, probably we would hardly recognize the place. We would be looking for forms and faces we then knew, many of whom have since gone to the spirit world, while others have removed to distant parts of the country to begin life anew.

How many of my old comrades of the 14th Ky. have since then crossed the dark river and rest in the shade of the trees. After the long interval of years, memory fails to recall many of their names, yet I remember what true and loyal fellows they were. Being then a boardless boy and a stranger to the regiment, there being but one man whom I had ever met previously, Lieut. Johnson, of your town, they seemed to take a friendly interest in my welfare, often favoring me in many hard places. The recollection of their kindness is one of the green spots in memory, which I trust may never fade away.

I recall the many months spent in and around Louisa both during the war and subsequently. It was there I was mustered into the service of the United States, and from there I went to Louisville to be discharged. In Nov. 1865 I united with the Methodist Episcopal Church, in the old brick building and was converted in March following. From there I started out as a Methodist itinerant preacher, traveling 70 miles on foot into the mountains of W. Va., to reach my appointment. After several years of labor there and on the prairie of Iowa, my health failed and I was compelled to give up the regular work. From Ia, I came to Oregon, thence to Los Angeles, Cal., where I am now engaged in city mission work, independent of the churches. We have an organization, planned after old fashioned Methodism of fifty years ago. Our work is exclusively among the poor whom we have our greatest success in getting people saved. We are thoroughly orthodox and preach the New Testament standard of salvation.

Recently I have had the great pleasure of meeting my old comrade and life long friend, W. B. Snerd, who is so well and favorably known to many of your people. To him I am more indebted than to any living person, he having saved my life during the war. He came to Redlands, Cal., a few months ago on account of the health of his family. I understand that the change has greatly benefited them. He is now supplying

a church at Frisco, Cal. Have also met John Woods, whose name will be familiar to many people at Blaine. He is now at some point in eastern Washington, but expects to return to Los Angeles again. I learned incidentally that Maj. Burchett had been in the city. Was greatly disappointed in not seeing him. No man was more highly respected in the old 14th Ky. than "Drew" Burchett, as he was familiarly known among the boys.

To all my old friends who yet linger on the shores of time, I extend a hearty greeting and God bless you. They will remember me as the bass drummer of the 14th Ky. Any communication will reach me addressed to 233 East 7th st., Los Angeles, Cal.

JOHN P. COLEMAN. Late Co. B. & A., 14th Ky. Vol.

## Record Since January 1st.

The Delaware burning at the stake is the thirteenth case where summary justice has been meted out to criminals since January 1st. The places and dates are as follows: Negro burned near New Orleans, January 27. Negro hanged, Wrightsville, Ga., February 8. Negro hanged, Bluefield, W. Va., March 29. Negro hanged, Tampa, Fla., March 10. Negro shot to death, Shreveport, La., April 12. Negro burned, Joplin, Mo., April 16. Negro hanged, Thebes, Ill., April 27. Two negroes hanged, Payne's Bluff, Miss., May 4. White man hanged, Madison, Fla., May 20. White man hanged, Newcastle, Wyo., May 28. Negro beaten to death near Pittsburg, Pa., June 1. Negro burned, Belleville, Ill., June 6. Negro burned near Wilmington Del., June 22.

## Night Was Her Terror.

"I would cough nearly all night long," writes Mrs. Chas. Applegate, of Alexandria, Ind., "and could hardly get any sleep. I had consumed so much of my strength that I could do nothing. I walked a block I would cough frightfully and spit blood, but, when all other medicines failed, three \$1.00 bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery wholly cured me and I gained 35 pounds." It's absolutely guaranteed to cure Coughs, Colds, La Grippe, Bronchitis and All Throat and Lung Troubles. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at A. M. Hughes' drug store.

It is better to tell people of their virtues than of their faults.

## No Pity Show.

"For years I was after me continually," writes F. A. Gullidge, Verbena, Ala. "I had a terrible case of Piles caused by 24 tumors. When all failed Buchen's Arnica Salve cured me. Equally good for Burns and all aches and pains. Only 25c at A. M. Hughes' drug store."

It is better to secure the confidence than the advantage of others.

I have practiced medicine for 36 years and have consulted the leading physicians in this country in regard to a remedy for Dyspepsia, but have never been able to find anything that would effect cure until I used Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. I have suffered with stomach trouble for years. Could not eat anything but milk toast for months, but since I used Kodol I can eat anything and feel that my health is better than it ever was in my life. I cannot say enough for Kodol for it has saved my life and I know that it will cure any case of Dyspepsia if taken as directed. —M. D. Settle, M. D., Big Hill Ky. Sold by Louisa Drug Co. J. D. Biggs Mgr.

Hail Ross, who brutally murdered a man named Shantz in Huntington two years ago and was freed from punishment by rotten court proceedings, assaulted Capt. Wm. Bay, the veteran steamboatman, on a street car in Huntington a few days ago. His excuse was that Capt. Bay forcibly ejected him from a steamboat twenty years ago. That is what comes of liberating vicious criminals without punishment.

## Women as Well as Men Are Made Miserable by Kidney Trouble.

Kidney trouble preys upon the mind, discourages and lessens ambition; beauty, vigor and cheerfulness soon disappear when the kidneys are out of order or diseased. Kidney trouble has become so prevalent that it is not uncommon for a child to be born afflicted with weak kidneys. If the child urinates too often, if the urine scales the flesh or if when the child reaches its teens it is still afflicted with the same trouble, the parent should be told that the child is afflicted with this unpleasant and dangerous condition of the kidneys and bladder and not to be habituated to such people.

Women as well as men are made miserable with kidney and bladder trouble, and both need the same great remedy, Swamp-Root, and the immediate effect of Swamp-Root is soon realized. It is sold by druggists, in fifty-cent and one dollar sizes. You may have a sample bottle when it is sent free, also pamphlet telling all about it, including many of the thousands of testimonials received from sufferers cured. In writing Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., be sure and mention this paper.

Don't make any mistake, but remember the name, Swamp-Root. Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and the address, Binghamton, N. Y., on every bottle.

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